

Consumer Protection Committee

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1	AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 3782
2	AMENDMENT NO Amend House Bill 3782 by replacing
3	everything after the enacting clause with the following:
4	"Section 1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the
5	Movable Soccer Goal Safety Act.
6	Section 5. Definitions. As used in this Act:
7	"Movable soccer goal" means a freestanding structure
8	consisting of at least 2 upright posts, a crossbar, and support
9	bars that is designed:
10	(1) to be used by adults or children for the purposes
11	of a soccer goal;
12	(2) to be used without any other form of support or
13	restraint (other than pegs, stakes, or other forms of
14	temporary anchoring device); and
15	(3) to be able to be moved to different locations.

"Guidelines for Movable Soccer Goal Safety" means the

- 1 publication "Guidelines for Movable Soccer Goal Safety"
- 2 published by the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission in
- 3 January, 1995 or any successor version of that publication.
- 4 "Person" means any individual, business organization, park
- 5 district, school, sporting club, or community center that owns
- or controls a moveable soccer goal.
- 7 Section 10. Setting up, moving, or storing a movable soccer
- 8 goal. A person must follow all applicable guidelines for
- 9 anchoring, securing, and counterweighting the movable soccer
- 10 goal that are set forth in "Guidelines for Movable Soccer Goal
- 11 Safety" when setting up a movable soccer goal for use, after
- 12 moving a goal previously set up, or when storing a movable
- 13 soccer goal.
- 14 Section 15. Tip-resistant moveable soccer goals required.
- 15 (a) Beginning on the effective date of this Act, no
- 16 commercial dealer, manufacturer, importer, distributor,
- 17 wholesaler, or retailer may manufacture, re-manufacture,
- 18 retrofit, distribute, sell at wholesale or retail, contract to
- 19 sell or resell, lease, or sublet, or otherwise place in the
- 20 stream of commerce a moveable soccer goal that is not
- 21 tip-resistant.
- 22 (b) For purposes of this Act, a moveable soccer goal whose
- inside measurements are 6.5 to 8 feet (2 to 2.4 meters) high
- 24 and 18 to 24 feet (5.5 to 7.3 meters) wide is not presumed to be

- tip-resistant if it does not conform to the American Society 1
- 2 for Testing and Materials (ASTM) standard F2673-08 for
- tip-resistant movable soccer goals. 3
- Section 20. Penalty. Violation of this Act is a petty 4
- 5 offense for which a fine not to exceed \$500 may be imposed.".